

Loss of Appetite

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Professor Erbeo, of Dombass, Norway, has discovered a new star. Professor Edward C. Pickering, of Harvard has overhauled the Harvard negatives and he found the star upon the photographic plates of the star is of the fifth magnitude. When discovered by Erbeo it was the fourth. Its position is in the constellation Gemini, about 1 degree, and 51 minutes south of the Theta Geminaurum.

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REAL STRIKE ON.

Quidnick-Windham Operatives' Hold Out for 10 Per Cent. Raise—Agent W. B. Knight's Statement—Claims Company Increased Pay When Wage Scale Was Higher Than in Any Similar Plant.

The strike at the Quidnick-Windham Manufacturing company's local plant assumed more serious proportions Tuesday when the entire force of operatives left work because all did not receive the ten per cent. raise they expected to get on the first of April. The strikers also wish to have eliminated from their daily schedule of labor an overtime period of twenty minutes they are forced to work, they allege, and for which they receive no compensation.

Tuesday morning the strikers gathered on Bridge street, a number walking up and down the New York, New Haven & Hartford freight station platform opposite the office of W. B. Knight, agent for the company. A committee from the strikers was sent in to confer with Agent Knight. It was found that Mr. Knight could not grant them the concessions asked, the ten per cent. increase, and the strikers were notified of the fact.

Again at noon all the strikers collected in orderly groups on Bridge street in front of the mills. The girls joined hands and made a line across the entrances to the mills, while the strikers argued with the weavers, trying to induce them to remain out and up for the ten per cent. increase. Chief E. H. Richmond was on hand to see that no violence was resorted to, or that no one was intimidated in any way. He told the strikers that they must not interfere with anyone who desired to go into the mills, but that they must confine their activities to argument and talk, but under no consideration call the weavers "scabs" or lay hands on them.

There was no disorder and the crowd was a jolly one. As the strikers agreed to stay out, and the strikers felt they had scored a point in their favor. They immediately started to do business and proposed holding a meeting. They accordingly went to Windham field and lunched together in one corner, but the wind was almost gale-like and the open air meeting was not at all conducive to the health of many of the thinly clad workers.

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men and girls, to say nothing of some of the men.

It was suggested that a hall be obtained. They advanced the argument that they had no money to pay for one. Some of the young men walked down street, met First Sergeant Robert E. Mitchell and his volunteers the use of the town hall for their meeting. The young men reported the fact of their going forward to the rest of the operatives, and the word was quickly passed around that they would meet in the town hall. Soon nearly the entire force of operatives gathered in the hall and held their meeting, which was an orderly but enthusiastic one. Speeches were made and it was agreed to stick together in the fight for their rights, as they termed them. After a free discussion of the matter, a committee was appointed by the strikers to confer again with Agent Knight, and the meeting was adjourned until 9 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning. The striking operatives then left the hall quickly.

Questioned about the situation, Agent W. B. Knight said as regards the matter of overtime business, it was no such thing, saying that the plant was really started at 5:30 a. m. up to Mr. Knight said that before he issued any formal statement relative to the situation he desired to confer with H. C. Murray, one of the company's directors. Following the conference with Mr. Murray, Agent Knight stated that the details embodied in the statement published below had been refused three times by the strikers Tuesday and that he himself could do no more.

The Company's Side.

Willimantic, Conn., April 23, 1912.

The frame spanning operatives who are out on strike at the plant of the Quidnick-Windham Mfg. Co. are in a body at the agent's office this morning and made known their demands, which were for a ten per cent. increase. This the company declined to concede, claiming the prices being paid since the advance was made are from 6 to 14 per cent. more than other mills of the same class are paying. They did, however, say to the strikers that if they could show an instance where this class of operatives are higher paid, that they would be met by the company. The operatives refused this offer and so the matter stands.

"As a matter of fact, the company has investigated the prices paid since the wage increase in several sections of New England, and has found that the advance in this class of work were, before the raise recently voluntarily given them, earning more money than those elsewhere after their raise. Notwithstanding this fact, the pay in this department was increased from 10 per cent. to 14 per cent."

W. B. KNIGHT, Agt.

LEAVE TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

Mrs. Pauline Royce and Miss Rachel Packer Resign—Farewell Gifts from Associate Workers.

Mrs. Pauline Royce, who for several years has been connected with the local office of the Southern New England Telephone company, has resigned and will go to New Haven, where she will enter the New Haven training school for nurses. Mrs. Royce has been a painstaking and efficient operator and has also been supervisor of the local office, being in charge of the rest of the operators. Miss Rachel Packer has also resigned as an operator. She, like Mrs. Royce, was one of the company's most faithful operators.

The fact that they were appreciated by their associate workers as well was evidenced when they were tendered a farewell party at the home of Miss Rachel A. Packer on Johnston street. The gathering was a pleasant one and the evening was spent enjoyably. There was an informal programme of music and song and an appetizing lunch was served.

Mrs. Royce was then presented a handsome traveling bag and Miss Packer a beautiful meal bag. Each responded, expressing sincere thanks for the gifts and good wishes of their friends and co-workers. Those present were Misses Thompson, Misses Gertrude and Ruth Backus, Miss George Brown, Miss Louise Charter, Miss Henrietta Martin, Mrs. Edith Taylor, Miss Carrie Anderson and Miss Helen Larking.

JAMES CONNOR STRUCK BY PASSENGER TRAIN

Eighteen Year Old Son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Connor Meets Instantaneous Death.

James, the 18-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Connor of 27 Valley street, extension went to his death in a terrible manner when he was struck by a passenger train due in here at Hartford at 7:36. Young Connor with three of his friends, Roy Moran, Arthur Murphy and William Shae jumped what is known as freight No. 124, west bound, and rode it to a point above the bridge street crossing, opposite the Nipmuc canoe club on the Willimantic river. Here the lads attempted to jump off on the side towards the river, but as a freight train toward bound, over the C. V. tracks, was approaching, they went to the other side of the train and jumped therefrom, all alighting successfully, except Connor, who as he landed was hit by the oncoming passenger engine and terribly mutilated. Both legs were cut off, one above the ankle and the other above the knee; one hand cut off and the other badly crushed; there was a bad gash at the base of the skull, which was fatal.

It is believed that he was killed instantaneously. To his companion's it is reported did not witness the accident, but thinking that Connor had bridge street crossing and noticed Timothy J. Sullivan and Frank Fleming, the crossing tenders, of their fears. A walk up the track revealed Connor's body near the last house in the brick row. Portions of the limbs were found strewn along the tracks for a distance of several hundred feet. The police notified medical examiner Dr. Louis I. Mason, who pronounced death accidental and gave permission for the removal of the body. The crew of the passenger train, knew nothing of the catastrophe and proceeded to Putnam. Connor and his companions have frequently jumped before leaving his home, the Connor boy had been warned against the habit by his mother and Frank Fleming, three survive beside his parents, five younger brothers.

Principal Burr to Speak.

Under the auspices of the state board of education a teachers' institute will be held in the high school, Waterbury, Saturday, April 27. At the afternoon session, Henry T. Burr, principal of the Willimantic normal school, will speak on Some Common Teaching Faults.

Buff Cockin After a Record.

John Meahan of Ann street owns a buff cockin hen that laid an egg six and three-quarters by eight and three-eighths inches, which weighs exactly five ounces. The big egg is on exhibition.

Settled Board Bill and Costs.

At an adjourned meeting of the police court Monday evening at 7 o'clock Arthur Bates was found guilty of the charge of defrauding E. B. Walden out of a board bill of \$2. He was fined \$10 and costs and the fine was remitted on condition that the board bill be paid. Mr. Bates settled the board bill, together with the costs that amounted to \$7.80, a total of \$15.80.

Case Goes Over.

The case of Samuel Adams vs. Sidney L. Perkins, which was to have been tried Monday before Justice of the Peace Charles A. Capen, was postponed until May 6 by agreement of counsel.

Local Notes.

Garde Florimond has decided to hold a three night's carnival.
Edward G. Hatheway, purchasing agent for the local plant of the American Thread company, is confined to his home on Prospect street with an attack of the grip.

Personals.

James D. Courtney spent Tuesday in Hartford.
Chauncey E. Macfarlane was in Providence Tuesday.
Harold S. Gee of Springfield was in the city on business Tuesday.
August Johnson of New Britain was in the city on business Tuesday.
Col. W. H. Hall of South Willimantic was a Willimantic visitor Tuesday.
Dr. Morris Hatheway of Hartford was the guest Tuesday of his father, Amos M. Hatheway of Prospect street.
S. J. Young left Tuesday morning for Newport, R. I., to be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Leander H. Smith.
Mrs. Mary Shea, who has been visiting relatives in Colchester the past two weeks, returned to her home on Jackson street, Tuesday.

STONINGTON

Death of Mrs. Samuel B. Pendleton—Arbor Day to Be Observed Friday.

Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Burrows, wife of Captain Samuel B. Pendleton, died at her home on Water street Tuesday morning shortly before 6 o'clock, after weeks illness. Mrs. Pendleton was the daughter of Seth Winthrop and Anne Burrows and was born in Groton, Feb. 28, 1835. She had resided in Stonington for the past 30 years. Her death was due to spinal meningitis. Mrs. Pendleton was a woman of beautiful traits known for her kind acts. She was a member of the First Baptist church and director of the Ladies' Aid society of that church. She held the office of President of the Y. P. Church post, Women's Relief Corps and was a member of Panny Ledyard Chapter D. A. U. She was also a member of the United New Commandery No. 620. Mrs. Pendleton was the invaliding officer of the grand commanders of the state. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Fred Wilcox and Mrs. M. Louise Pendleton of Stonington, one son George C. Pendleton of New York, one sister, Mrs. J. H. Tillingham of the town, and a brother, Andrew Burrow of New London.

Illustrated Lecture.

The bible school orchestra of six pieces rendered selections at the lecture which was given in the lecture room of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening. The lecture was beautifully illustrated by stereopticon, over 50 colored pictures being shown.

Arbor Day Friday

The pupils of the public school will celebrate Arbor Day Friday, exercises will be held in the afternoon and shrubs planted.

Borough Notes

Mrs. Edward Burke of Westerly is substituting in the sixth grade, in place of Miss M. Louise Pendleton. The H. T. Green Co. are making several small launches. They will be equipped with Alwood motors.

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Gracey-Ashby Wedding—Local People Hear Capt. Hobson—Young Ladies of St. Joseph's Parish Give Dance.

The marriage of Miss Roberta L. Ashby, daughter of Mrs. Fred Ashby and Edgar Gracey of Mystic, took place Monday evening at the home of the bride on Park street.
Rev. Andrew Potter officiated, Mr. and Mrs. Gracey will make their home with the bride's mother.

At Hobson's Lecture.

A large crowd from this village attended the lecture in New London Monday evening given by Captain R. P. Hobson.

Many Attend Dance.

There was a large attendance at the dance Tuesday evening in the town hall given by the young ladies of St. Joseph's parish. Grinnell's orchestra furnished music.

Fred Morgan has resigned as member of the crew of the schooner Ada Belle.

Captain William Chesbro who has been ill for a long time is improving.

Captain Jasper Brown has returned from Fishers Island.

Miss Carrie Sistrup is improving after a long illness and is able to be about the house a few hours each day.

Mrs. Frederick Martin of Boston is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer on Church street.

Silver Links Meet.

The Silver Link society of the Methodist church held their weekly meeting with Mrs. William M. Hill Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edwin Lamphere has returned to Old Mystic after visiting friends in town.

Daniel Rogers has returned to his duties at the Norwich state hospital at Brewster's Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Wheaton and son have returned to Groton after visiting relatives in town.

Walter Campbell of New London was a special caller in town Tuesday evening.

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STAFFORD SPRINGS

Plans for Meeting of Connecticut Federation of Women's Clubs With Local Organization.

The following circular has been sent out:

By invitation of the Current Events club of Stafford Springs, the annual meeting of the Connecticut Federation of Women's Clubs will be held in the Congregational church, Stafford Springs, May 15 and 16.
Opening session at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday.

The programme for the convention will include the presentation of the work of the different departments, with addresses by Mrs. Anna Sturges Puryear, Mrs. Eva MacDonald Jones and others; also attractive music, provided by the state music committee.

At the close of the programme on Wednesday evening a reception will be given the visiting guests by the Current Events club.
Each club is to appoint its delegates at the next meeting, regular or special, and to send names to the corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. Hoffman, Cheshire.

Not only delegates, but all club members are invited to this convention, and each club is urged to send a large representation to this, the most important meeting of the year.
Those desiring entertainment are to notify Miss G. A. Washburn, Stafford Springs.

By order of the president, Jane R. Hoffman, corresponding secretary, Cheshire, April 16, 1912.

Repaired Blood Vessel

One of the most remarkable surgical operations of the times was performed in New York by Dr. W. C. Lusk. The aorta of a man or main blood vessel supplying the arterial circulation had become weakened so that, like an old piece of garden hose it threatened to give way at every beat of the heart. Dr. Lusk strengthened the weak place with an artificial reinforcement consisting of a coil of gold wire, inserted on the inside, exactly as hose is strengthened in some cases.

Modern Surgery

A Cleveland man who was severely burned the other day had his leg saved by the ingenuity of the surgeons, who took the inner skins of eggs and grafted them on the burned flesh, together with pieces of skin taken from his thigh. It had been feared that amputation of the leg might be necessary, but the patient is now recovering rapidly.

Incubators For Trout

The Minister of Agriculture of Argentina has been authorized to spend about \$750 United States currency for the construction of incubators for hatching trout. They will be placed in the San Miguel River, in the province of Cordoba.



Anty Drudge on Education.

Katherine—"My, how provoked I am, Anty. You wouldn't dream this frock had once been white. Look at it now. I sent it to the laundress and it looks almost the color of weak coffee with milk in it."

Anty Drudge—"It's partly your fault, my dear. You're a college graduate, but you aren't educated until you know what is best for your clothes. If you had known enough to see that your white frock was washed with Fels-Naptha soap in cool or lukewarm water it would have been snowywhite. The Fels-Naptha way is the only method of washing to keep white clothes white without harming them."

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For washing colored clothes and other things, see plain directions on the red and green wrapper.